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Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
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SUBJECT: Applicants: Prendergast et al.  
Serial No: 09/784,827  
Filed: February 15, 2001  
For: ISOLATION SYSTEM WITH  
ANALOG COMMUNICATION  
ACROSS AN ISOLATION BARRIER  
Examiner: Singh, Ramnandan P.  
Group: 2644  
Confirm. No.: 5800  
Docket No: AD-217J

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal, and a check for \$790 for the filing fee for a large entity.

Also enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time within the Second Month, along with a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the fee for a large entity to obtain the extension.

Further enclosed, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, are an Information Disclosure Citation, Form PTO-A820, for the subject Application that cites four (4) references, and a copy of each of the references.

This Information Disclosure Citation is timely filed and should be considered as it is filed before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits of the subject application pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b)(3).

If for any reason this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal or this Information Disclosure Citation is found to be INCOMPLETE, or if at any time it appears that a TELEPHONE CONFERENCE with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, at (781) 890-5678.

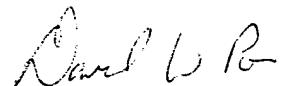
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If any payment during prosecution is found to be incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to my Deposit Account No. 09-0002. A copy of this letter is enclosed for use by the Finance Branch in the event that it is necessary to make any charge or credit to my deposit account.

In addition, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a)(3), the Office is hereby authorized to treat any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Also, any request or Petition for an Extension of Time notwithstanding an inadvertent reference in the Petition to a shorter period of time is to be treated as requesting the appropriate length of time.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by returning the enclosed self-addressed postcard.

Sincerely,



David W. Poirier  
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

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